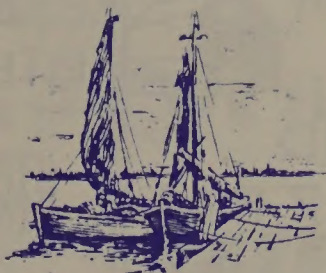


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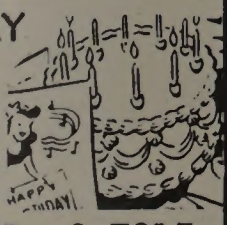
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COVER PICTURE

This week's cover is a view from the railroad embankment looking toward the lighthouse which appears in back of the wharf. As I was drawing I thought of the contrast between this quiet stream and the devastation in other parts of New England. This time we were most fortunate.

PROF. MENDELL SPEAKS HERE SUNDAY

Prof. Charles S. Mendell, Jr. will continue his talk on "Whaling Days in Mattapoisett" this Sunday, August 28th in the Mattapoisett Town Hall. This is the second of monthly meetings in preparation for the town's centennial celebration.

This talk by Mr. Mendell is absolutely free as he is contributing his time in the interest of the Town Committee. The stories are wonderful and we know that you won't want to miss them.

HOLY GHOST CLAMBAKE

The Holy Ghost Club of Mattapoisett will hold a clambake Sunday, August 28th at the Holy Ghost grounds. Tickets are \$2.25 and may be had by contacting John Souza at Frank's Market on Route 6, Mattapoisett.

Manuel Martin of Connecticut visited several old friends Sunday in Rochester. A former resident there he has not been back for several years. In 1954 he had the honor of being the father of the first child born that year at seconds after midnight and mention of it appeared in many newspapers.

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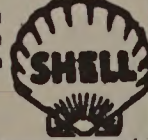
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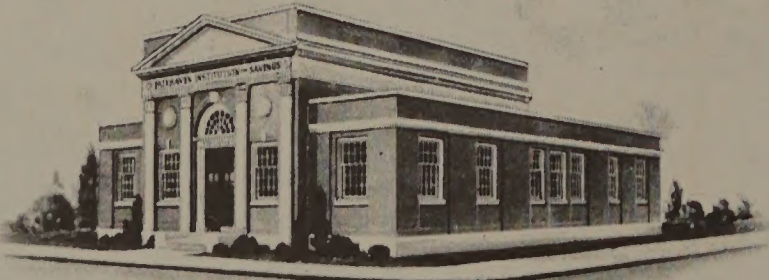
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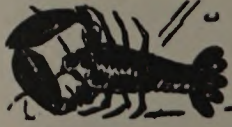


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JUVENILE GRANGE PENNY FAIR

Despite the bad weather last Thursday, August 18th the Mattapoissett Juvenile Grange held their Penny Fair in the Grange Hall. Crepe paper decorated the various tables, selling grabs, cake, punch, vegetables, flowers, gifts, balloons and comics, taking in a total of 1270 pennies. Chairman, Denise Johnson and co-chairman, Nancy Borges, were assisted by Terry Cray, Paul Hyland, Albert Sylvia, Martha Heuberger, Kathy Sylvia, Nancy Corcoran, Clifton Cray, Carol Dunn, Judith Dexter, Susan Luiz, John Sylvia, Carol Hyland, Robert Sylvia, Wayne Cray and Edward Sylvia.

The Juvenile Grange will hold their next meeting Friday, August 26th at 7:30 in the Grange Hall.

POTLUCK SUPPER HELD BY COUPLES CLUB

A potluck supper, held in the yards of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chase and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Chase on Fairhaven Road, Mattapoissett, preceded the business meeting of the Couples Club of the Mattapoissett Congregational Church Tuesday evening. The business meeting, presided over by John M. Souza, Jr., was followed by a scavenger hunt arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Illingworth. Winners of the hunt were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. David H. Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence C. Young. The supper was served by Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Souza, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford I. Tripp, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Turner.

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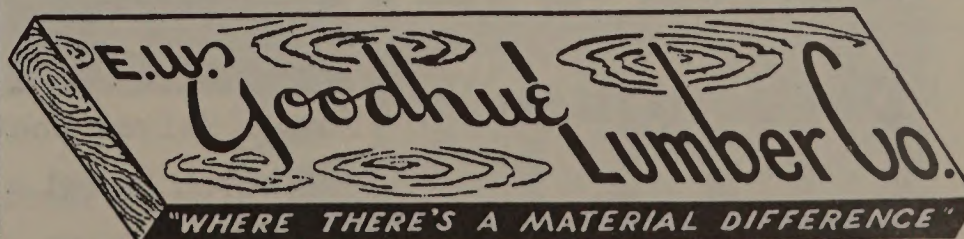
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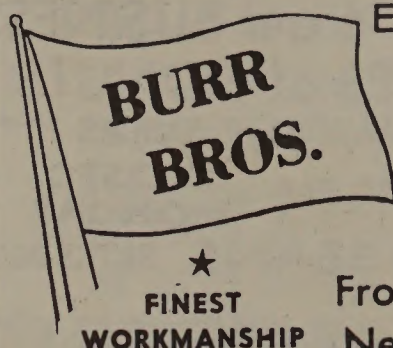
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A party was held for Diane Harrison at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Lewis of Acushnet Road, Mattapoissett with the Lewis' son, Jeffrey, host. Diane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harrison of Bolles Corner, will move soon with her parents and sister, Paula, to North Wales, Pa. A parting gift of a shoulder bag was presented to Diane. Guests enjoying a cookout and swimming were Beth Bailey, Nancy Corcoran, Terence Cray, John Dexter, Albert Goodwin, Joyce Harriman, Nancy Moore, Peter Peck, Lois Lessard, Mary Reed, Edward Sylvia, Beverly Turner, Louise Valladoa, Judith Wallega, Michael Renahan and Elizabeth Wertz.

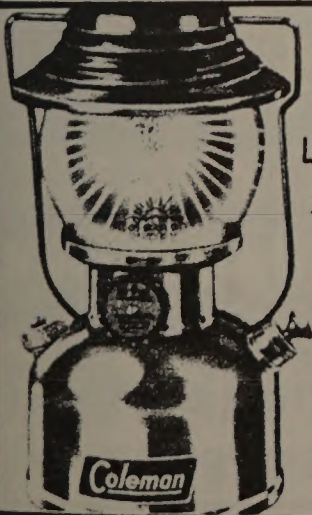
GIRL BITTEN BY DOG

Pauline Valladoa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund R. Valladoa of Main Street, Mattapoissett, was taken to St. Luke's Hospital, New Bedford Wednesday afternoon in the police cruiser by Chief Alden Kinney after being bitten by a collie dog, owned by Albert Sylvia of Mahoney's Lane, Mattapoissett.

Pauline seeing the dog floundering in the water and thinking it was drowning went to its rescue. When she reached the dog, it bit her on the right side of the face. Emergency surgery was performed by Dr. Milton MacDonald and 21 stitches were taken. Pauline was released from the hospital at about 10:30 that same night.

RETURNED TO VIRGINIA

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Frost and daughter, Judith, have returned home to Roanoke, Virginia after visiting Mrs. Frost's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd H. Taylor of Snipatuit Road, Rochester.



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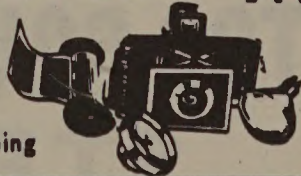
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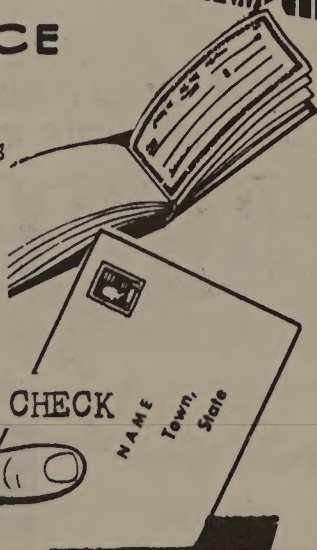
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Mr. and Mrs. Irving Caswell of New Bedford visited Mrs. Lottie Bradford of Quaker Lane, Rochester.

MISSIONARY VISITED IN ROCHESTER

Mrs. Bess Cornell, a missionary from Memphis, Tennessee, who has been on a European teaching tour, was in Rochester recently and spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Bettencourt and Miss Mary Bettencourt of Hartley Road.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tripp enjoyed her company at Sunday dinner. She was very interesting and the remarks she had to say about the living conditions in the foreign countries she had worked in were most unbelievable.

AT ST. LUKE'S

Harold Vaughan, Sr. of Rochester is in fair condition after surgery at St. Luke's Hospital, New Bedford. The length of his stay there is at present not definite.

GRANGE MYSTERY RIDE

The Mattapoisett Grange enjoyed a mystery ride Thursday night ending at Pine Hill Pavilion in Acushnet. Box lunches and games were enjoyed with prizes being awarded. Mrs. Clifton Hatton, lecturer, and Mrs. Alfred Spagnoli were in charge.

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Chairman of the sports events and the parade was Herbert Anderson, and the judges for the parade were Mrs. Elton Willis, Mrs. Howard Johnson and Mrs. George Newman. Receiving prizes in the parade were: group of 4, Kitsy Hill, Susan Hervey, Debbie Morgan and Susan Anderson, funniest; Lindy East, most glamorous; Eric and John Sundin, most original and Ricky Henkels, most typical of the beach.

Following the supper, hurricane movies were shown at the Anderson cottage.

ANGELICA YACHT CLUB REPRESENTED AT NEW BEDFORD YACHT CLUB REGATTA

The Angelica Yacht Club was well represented at the annual regatta of the New Bedford Yacht Club held Saturday and Sunday.

From the local yacht club, Allison Hill placed first in Division 1; Ann Porter tied for second place in Division 1 and Nancy MacLean placed second in Division 2.

VISITED WALTER JASONS

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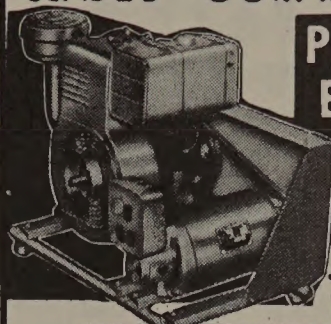
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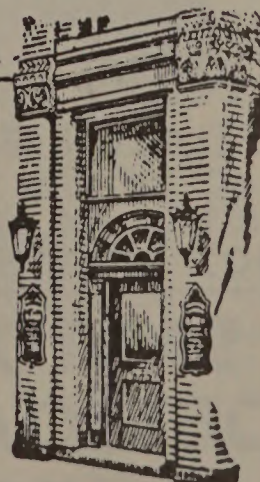
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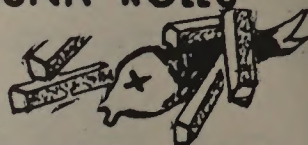
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VACATIONING IN MAINE

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford I. Tripp, Jr. of Main Street, Mattapoissett, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Heath, Jr. of North Street, Mattapoissett and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Perkins of Randall Road, Mattapoissett are vacationing in Maine.

ATTENDED CONFERENCE

Mrs. Marian Hatton, lecturer of Mattapoissett Grange and of Sippican Pomona Grange, of Beacon Street, Mattapoissett, and Miss Edna L. Borden of Marion attended a lecturer's conference at the University of Rhode Island, Kingston, Rhode Island recently.

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Preaching at the East Mattapoissett Friends Meeting House on August 28th and September 4th will be Rev. Ellsworth B. McAfee of New Bedford during the vacation of Earle D. Wilson.

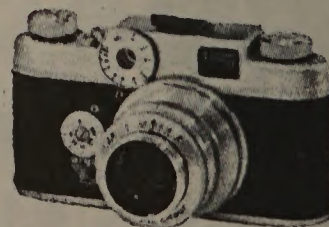
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Eileen Mosher of Main Street, Mattapoisett has returned home after spending a week in Orleans, Mass.

RESIDING HERE

Mrs. Lester Delano and sons, David Craig and Stephen are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. Mario Silvia of Main Street, Mattapoisett. They are former residents of Mattapoisett who return here from Cranston, Rhode Island after being away six years. Later they will take up residence in their new home on Acushnet Road.

TO RESIDE HERE PERMANENTLY

Charles M. Johnson of Attleboro is winterizing his summer home at Harbor Beach and plans to make it his permanent home.

GIRL SCOUTS CONCLUDE SEASON

Rochester Girl Scout Troop #136 concluded the season with a cook-out at Ellis Haven.

The Girl Scouts have received their badges and second class rank, also their world pin.

Five of the girls are going to camp this year for two weeks from August 14th through August 27th. They are Gayle Gifford, Sandra Gayoski, Marcia Doane, Andrea Doane and Joyce Rogers.

VISITED IN ROCHESTER

Mrs. Mary Cook and son of Fairhaven and Eddie Morse of Wilbraham, Mass. visited in Rochester recently.

IN TOWN

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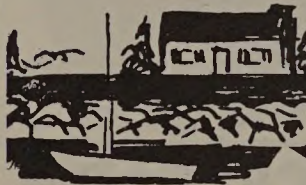
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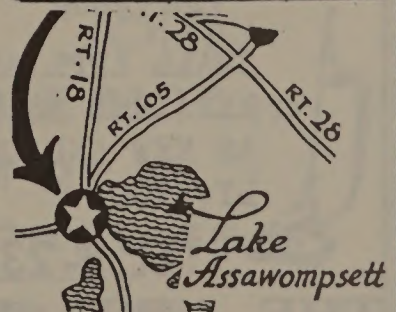
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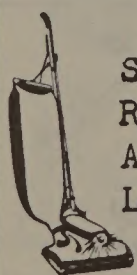
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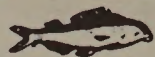
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Returning for the party were Peter and Paul Morris, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Morris, from a month's vacation with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark of Ledyard, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. Clark returned with them to be present at the gathering. Mrs. Clark is another daughter of Mrs. Howe. Also present were Mrs. Howe's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allan R. Howe of St. Petersburg, Florida.

To add to the excitement five kittens and fifteen baby ducks were born at the Morris' over the weekend.

VISITED IN VERMONT

Rev. and Mrs. Frederic E. Reynard and children, Susan and Alan, of Hammond Street, Mattapoissett have been visiting friends in Townshend, Vermont.

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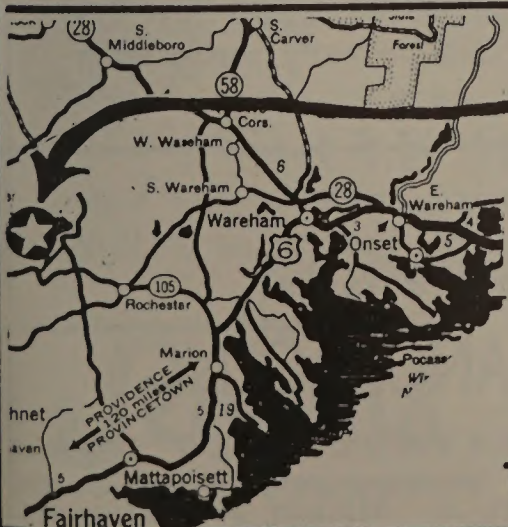
One of the most valuable instruments aboard a pleasure boat is the compass. This instrument often is extremely sensitive and very accurate. Yet there are several compass "errors" which must be corrected by the navigator.

The various aspects of careful compass work are covered in the free Piloting courses offered throughout the country by the United States Power Squadrons. Space permits only a brief explanation of some of the more important points.

A true course is a line drawn on a chart in relation to the North Geographic Pole. However, the natural magnetic forces of the earth create inaccuracies in ships' compasses which must be adjusted before setting the course to be sailed. The magnetic course is related to the Magnetic Pole and the difference between this and the Geographic Pole is known as variation. This factor varies all over the world. Each chart indicates how much should be allowed for variation errors for the area in which you plan to cruise.

The third type of course direction is a compass course, and to determine this, the skipper must correct for a second error known as deviation. This error is caused by the location of metallic objects aboard the boat. Since these objects change their relative position as the boat changes direction, deviation is different for various course headings.

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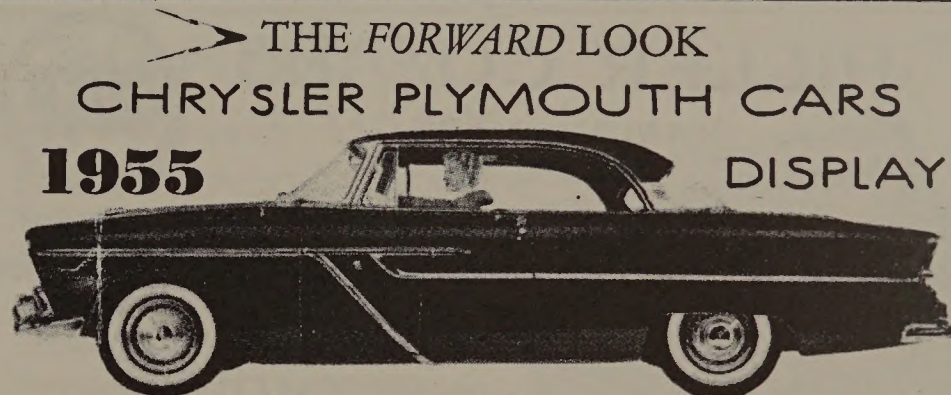
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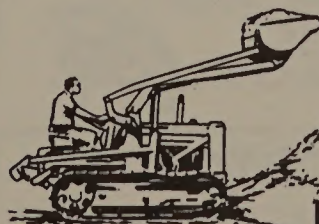
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Once a skipper has learned how to translate a line on the chart to a course by which to steer, the resulting confidence will be more than worth the little effort required. And it only takes one trip home in a fog to prove the real value of knowing how to operate a boat by compass from point to point.

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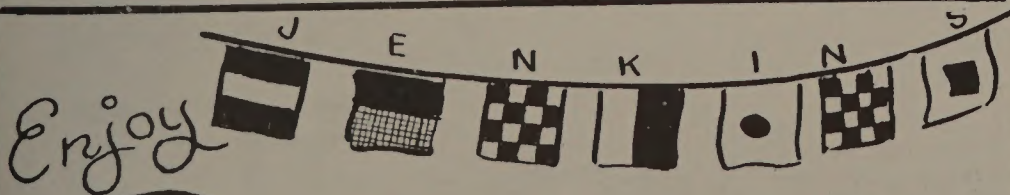
No specific names are necessary but an invitation for all to stop in to see your favorite merchant will probably give you a pleasant surprise. Smooth clean spacious parking areas have been or are being installed in so many cases that it is a real pleasure to note the foresightedness of operators of establishments who are acting now to do everything possible to make it easy for us to have comfortable local shopping.

CONGRESSMAN NICHOLSON TO SPEAK HERE

Congressman Nicholson, under sponsorship of the Mattapoisett Improvement Association, will speak here September 12th at the Silver Gull at 7 P. M. Mrs. Harold Banks and Raymond Andrews are in charge of tickets. The event is open to all members of the town as well as Improvement Association members.

MARION GIRL DIES OF POLIO

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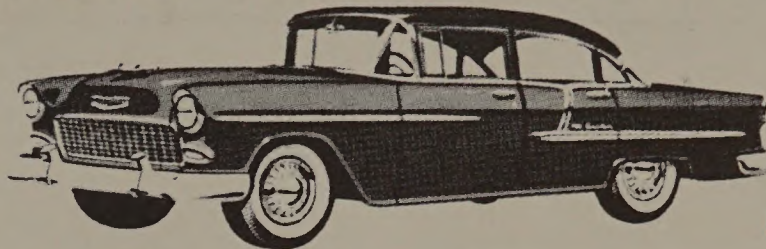
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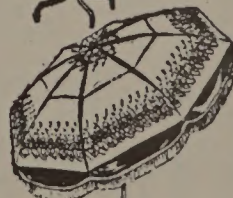


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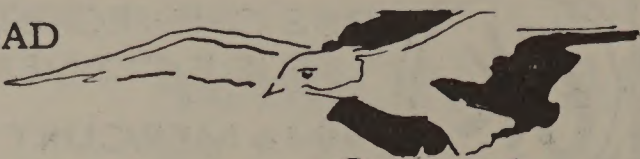
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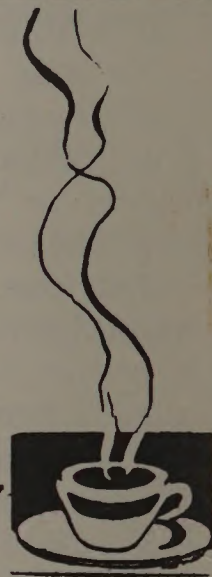
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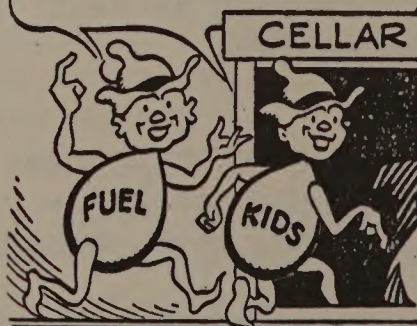
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